IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re Application of:	
Lars Elmekilde HANSEN et al.	Group Art Unit: 3721
Application No.: 10/589,893	Examiner: Stephen Francis GERRITY
Filed: June 11, 2007	
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR PACKAGING MINERAL WOOL PRODUCTS AND A MINERAL WOOL PACKAGE	Confirmation No.: 2818

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed November 25, 2009, the period for response having been extended to May 25, 2010 by a request for extension of three (3) months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicant files this Amendment with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper.